

# Michigan Achievement Scholarship

Fact Sheet for Academic Year 2023-24

# Description

The Michigan Achievement Scholarship provides renewable scholarships for undergraduate students who graduate from high school in Michigan with a diploma, certificate of completion, or achieved a high school equivalency certificate in 2023 or after. Students must be attending an eligible Michigan postsecondary institution. Students must demonstrate financial need when they complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by having an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) of \$25,000 or less.

### **Application**

To apply for the Michigan Achievement Scholarship, a student must complete a FAFSA. To check the status of an application, the student can log into the MiSSG Student Portal at <a href="michigan.gov/missg">michigan Achievement</a> Scholarship eligibility status is currently unavailable in MiSSG. Sign-up for emails to be the first to hear when that feature becomes available.

# **Eligibility**

To be eligible for an award, a student must:

- Complete a FAFSA.
- Demonstrate financial need by having an EFC of \$25,000 or less.
- Graduate from high school in Michigan with a diploma, a certificate of completion, or achieved a high school equivalency certificate in 2023 or after.
- Enroll at an eligible institution within 15 months of high school graduation or earning a high school equivalency certificate.
- Be enrolled full-time as determined by the participating institution.
  - All participating institutions are listed on the last page of this Fact Sheet.
- Be a Michigan resident since July 1 of the previous calendar year.
  - If a dependent student, parent must also be a Michigan resident since July 1 of the previous calendar year.
- Be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or approved refugee.
- Not be incarcerated.
- Be an undergraduate student.
- Not be in default on a Federal student loan.
- For renewal, meet institution's Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) policy.

# **Program Limits**

Awards are first restricted to tuition and mandatory fees minus all other gift aid. Any remaining Minimum Award after gift aid may be applied towards additional resources within the student's Cost of Attendance. Qualifying students may be eligible for:

- Up to \$2,750 if they attend a Michigan community college or tribal college, per year
  - ♦ \$1,750 Michigan Achievement Scholarship Minimum Award
  - ♦ \$1,000 Michigan Achievement Scholarship Last-dollar Award
- Up to \$5,500 if they attend a Michigan public university, per year
  - ♦ \$2,500 Michigan Achievement Scholarship Minimum Award
  - ♦ \$3,000 Michigan Achievement Scholarship Last-dollar Award
- Up to \$4,000 if they attend a Michigan private college or university, per year
  - ♦ \$1,000 Michigan Achievement Scholarship Minimum Award
  - ♦ \$3,000 Michigan Achievement Scholarship Last-dollar Award

It is the responsibility of the college financial aid office to coordinate all sources of aid for which a student may be eligible. Other gift aid may reduce or cancel this award.

Students receiving the Michigan Achievement Scholarship may not also receive the Michigan Competitive Scholarship in the same semester/term.

Students may be eligible to receive the Michigan Achievement Scholarship for up to five consecutive years total, with no more than three years at a Michigan community college and tribal college.

Current and future awards are subject to available and approved funding.

| Participating Institutions        |                                       |                                    |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| ADRIAN COLLEGE                    | HENRY FORD COLLEGE                    | NORTHWOOD UNIVERSITY               |
| ALBION COLLEGE                    | HOPE COLLEGE                          | OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE          |
| ALMA COLLEGE                      | JACKSON COLLEGE                       | OAKLAND UNIVERSITY                 |
| ALPENA COMMUNITY COLLEGE          | KALAMAZOO COLLEGE                     | OLIVET COLLEGE                     |
| ANDREWS UNIVERSITY                | KALAMAZOO VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE    | ROCHESTER UNIVERSITY               |
| AQUINAS COLLEGE                   | KELLOGG COMMUNITY COLLEGE             | SAGINAW CHIPPEWA TRIBAL COLLEGE    |
| BAKER COLLEGE                     | KETTERING UNIVERSITY                  | SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY    |
| BAY COLLEGE                       | KEWEENAW BAY OJIBWA COMMUNITY COLLEGE | SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE                |
| BAY MILLS COMMUNITY COLLEGE       | KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE            | SIENA HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY           |
| CALVIN UNIVERSITY                 | KUYPER COLLEGE                        | SOUTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE      |
| CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY       | LAKE MICHIGAN COLLEGE                 | SPRING ARBOR UNIVERSITY            |
| CLEARY UNIVERSITY                 | LAKE SUPERIOR STATE UNIVERSITY        | ST. CLAIR COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE |
| COLLEGE FOR CREATIVE STUDIES      | LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE             | UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT MERCY        |
| COMPASS COLLEGE OF CINEMATIC ARTS | LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY     | UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - ANN ARBOR |
| CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY              | MACOMB COMMUNITY COLLEGE              | UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN  |
| CORNERSTONE UNIVERSITY            | MADONNA UNIVERSITY                    | UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - FLINT     |
| DAVENPORT UNIVERSITY              | MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY             | WALSH COLLEGE                      |
| DELTA COLLEGE                     | MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY     | WASHTENAW COMMUNITY COLLEGE        |
| EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY       | MID MICHIGAN COLLEGE                  | WAYNE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE     |
| FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY           | MONROE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE       | WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY             |
| GLEN OAKS COMMUNITY COLLEGE       | MONTCALM COMMUNITY COLLEGE            | WEST SHORE COMMUNITY COLLEGE       |
| GOGEBIC COMMUNITY COLLEGE         | MOTT COMMUNITY COLLEGE                | WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY        |
| GRACE CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY        | MUSKEGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE            |                                    |
| GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE    | NORTH CENTRAL MICHIGAN COLLEGE        |                                    |
| GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY     | NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY          |                                    |
| GREAT LAKES CHRISTIAN COLLEGE     | NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COLLEGE         |                                    |

- Awards are based on the first Michigan college choice listed on the FAFSA.
- The student is responsible for notifying MI Student Aid of any changes of address or college choice.
- It is the responsibility of the student to be informed of all eligibility requirements and program rules.